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2. In late March 1955, one of the three sets of basic records of the anti-collision device (Meddo) prepared by Funkwerk Koepenick was to be submitted to Dipl Ing Winkler of Funkwerk Dresden and subsequently to Dr. Franz H. Lange of Funkwerk Leipzig. The plant management stated that Koepenick was the only plant working on a Meddo Set and that Dipl Ing Winkler and Dr Lange would only be informed on the project in order to give scientific advice to the development experts of Funkwerk Koepenick.
3. The serious competition between the development stations of Funkwerk Koepenick, Leipzig, and Dresden was a result of the system of placing work orders and distributing funds for development projects. Dr Lange, therefore, did not receive a complete set of records of the Meddo set from Koepenick, but merely a sketch of the indicator unit K-5 - 28 with its external dimensions and a cable diagram for the external connections of the indicator unit. Dr Lange apparently, had very close connections in the Ministry of Interior. His laboratory was ordered to employ only "state conscious" personnel. In early 1955, Lange's activities were frequently mentioned at Funkwerk Koepenick, but no details were obtained.

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